

# Crossfield Chronicle

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## Pool Elevator Buys Combined Wheat

Mr. A. McMillan, local Pool agent, informs us that he has taken a number of loads of wheat and is shipping 2 carloads today (Thursday). The following are those who sold the wheat:

O. E. Jones, Saturday last, No. 1 Northern, with a yield of 45 bushels to the acre.

J. H. Schofield, Monday, 46 bushels to the acre, No. 1 Northern, swathed and combined F. Laut, swathed and combined Tuesday, No. 2 Northern 35 1/2 bushels to the acre, on spring plowing.

G. R. Jones, Tuesday, No. 2 Northern, 40 bushels per acre. I. Laut, Tuesday, swathed and combined, 31 bushels per acre, No. 2 Northern.

## UNITED CHURCH NOTES.

The pastor is glad to be home again and is ready to co-operate with everyone in the work of church and community.

Country services at Madden and O'Neil next Sunday.

If there are sufficient flowers we shall have Flower service next Sunday evening at Crossfield Sunday School will re-open next Sunday morning at 11 a.m. everyone be on hand.

The basement wall for the School Room at the rear of the church was put in by McCaskill Bros. on Monday afternoon. Soon we shall have a very useful accommodation for midweek and Sunday School work.

## Local and General.

J. Butler, of La Canada, is visiting his brother G. Butler.

Rev. and Mrs. J. H. Pickford and Miss Joan have been spending this week at Drumheller, with Mrs. Pickford's mother, Mrs. C. K. Davis.

We understand J. T. Davis, formerly of the U.G.G. elevator here, has moved from Drumheller to Bassano.

Mrs. Kirkpatrick and Miss Betty Ferry of Cleveland, Ohio, spent a week in Crossfield, visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Gilchrist.

## Local Junior Ballers Play at Carbon

Sunday afternoon last the local Junior ball team journeyed to Carbon, where a fine game of ball was played, the locals winning to the tune of a 7-6 score. The teams tied 6-6 in the eighth innings.

## Warning to Farmers

The Rosebud Weed Inspector wishes to warn farmers that Russian Thistle has been found growing on several road allowances and in fence rows, but particularly on the gravel road east of town.

## The Church Faces Threat of War

1. Repenting its part in a world order that makes war inevitable.

2. Seeking a co-operative world order of righteousness and peace, and correction of so-called peace treaties.

3. Claiming its right of freedom to witness and serve in every land and to maintain fellowship across international borders.

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5. Refusing to be used as a recruiting agency and whilst war proclaiming peace and brotherhood as the way of life, yet giving full spiritual ministrations to those caught in the unnatural activity of war.

6. And giving full support to those who on religious or humanitarian grounds object to military service.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Butler were Calgary visitors Sunday.

Mrs. Martin, of Maple Creek, Sask., is visiting at the home of her brother, J. R. Gilchrist.

Mrs. Hedges and father, Mr. T. Monkman, of Cereal, visited at the J. R. Gilchrist home on Tuesday.

Arthur Baker, of the local branch of the Bank of Commerce, is relieving at a branch at Red Deer.

## Crossfield Has Hopes For Modern Auto Camp

We understand that E. Bills has purchased the plot of ground across the track, at the corner of the entrance to town, from C. C. Smart. He intends to use this corner plot for a modern auto camp, which will mean that tourists will have a handy place to rest, and in the heart of the best mixed farming district in the province of Alberta.

## Stores Close Labor Day Post Office Open 1 Hour

Next Monday, September 4th is Labor Day, and all stores will remain closed. The Post Office will be open from 11:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon only.

## ANGELICAN CHURCH NOTES.

Sermons next Sunday, September 3rd. Holy Communion 8:00 a.m. Evening 7:30 p.m. All Vets and their families welcome to the evening service.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Laut have had an addition built to their residence west of town.

## MARKET PRICES

WHEAT	
1 Hd.	54c
1a	53
2a	50
3a	46
4a	39
No. 6	33
No. 6	27
Fd.	22
GARNET WHEAT	
1 CW	41
2 CW	38
3 CW	36
OATS	
2 CW	28
3 CW	28
1 Fd.	23
2 Fd.	23
3 Fd.	24
BARLEY	
6 R	33
2 R	33
3 CW	33
4 CW	33
5 CW	33
6 CW	33
FLAX	
1 CW	130
2 CW	120
RYE	
2 CW	39
HOGS	
Select Bacon	7.50
Bacon	7.00
Butchers	6.00

## Colliins & Walker Trnck Damaged last Wednesday

Bill Walker had the misfortune to run headlong into another truck, at Calgary, Wednesday last, on 12th Avenue and Centre Street. W. J. Wood brought the truck back the next day, and it is now out and about again, with new front fenders, radiator and headlamps.

## Assisting the Newspaper!

A busy man rushed into a newspaper office one bright morning, gasping the words, "Will you run this 'For Sale' ad in your paper for the next two weeks. Thanks, and I may be able to do something for you some time." And out he rushed.

## Local Grain Buyer Serves Stag dinner

A. McMillan was visited by G. A. (Heavy) Williams, of Calgary, last Saturday, so he invited Messrs. J. M. Huston, E. Bills, R. T. Amery, E. Meyers, and D. McCaskill, and he gave them a feed of young chicken, new spuds and two dozen cobs of fresh corn.

It appears that this is one of the first dinners of its kind this fall, and from reports, Happy is a good cook.

This, however, did not finish the banquetting; the next day, Sunday, Messrs. Williams, McCaskill, Meyers and McMillan motored to the A. Cruickshank farm and partook of another feed.

Both events were much enjoyed.

Mr. J. Belshaw has been busy the past few weeks putting the school and grounds in good condition for the coming season. Kalsomining and varnishing of the desks has been done and the floors are oiled, making everything tip-top and in a sanitary condition.

Another great improvement to the grounds is the trees which were planted last year. These add beauty and show progress in this little town of ours.

Miss Violet Currie spent a week with Mrs. N. J. Wigle.

## One New Teacher Completes Staff

### School Repaired

Miss Burwash, of Edmonton, has accepted a position on the local teaching staff, replacing Miss Gish, who has accepted a position in a Calgary school. The local board had hoped to have her back again this year, but she has taken advantage of a promotion, and the best of luck is extended her from the Crossfield board and pupils.

The staff for the ensuing term comprises, Mr. Gish, principal; Miss Burwash, assistant High School teacher, Mrs. Emery, Miss Brown and Miss Gough.

A number of pupils in the district will be taking their high school course in the local school where all grades up to and including twelve are successfully taught.

## Goozles

George Lin says, "It's alright to get a bit of foreign money once in a while"

C. C. Stafford is busy soliciting egg business. Five hens laid eight eggs. Whew! Must be the record.

Cameron Carmichael says there will be war when Mrs. Emery comes back. Jimmie Stevens says if we publish this "Goozle" two weeks from now there WILL be war.

A few of our high school girls playing on the front street with a "onster wazon" Wednesday evening last.

A few girls mounted the Drug Store scales and their weights registered from 128 to 150. Wow! We'll have some husky ladies in the community.

Keith getting a kick out of the Chronicle pens that write any colour with one dip into a bottle of blue ink.

"Uncle" Norman says it makes him feel much older.

Although the doctor told Tom Fieldhouse to take something, it did not mean he was to take a serviette at dinner one Sunday.

F. A. Purvis has purchased a new power binder from W. Laut.



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## Our Village.

It may not be amiss now that fall is approaching us to look back and remind ourselves what we have done as home-makers in the Village of Crossfield during the summer months to assist in making the Village a better place to live in. With what has been accomplished by many of the citizens during the past few months, in the way of fixing up their homes, such as painting and enlarging their premises in some instances, must give much satisfaction, not only to the home-makers, but also to their fellow citizens, as it shows that a pride is being taken in the upkeep of our Village.

Then again the many beautiful gardens are outstanding; as in passing by it gives one much pleasure to see their upkeep, with the lovely flower beds and well-kept lawns.

Apart from the homes we pass on to some of our community institutions, such as our churches. It is gratifying to note the improvement in the painting of the Roman Catholic Church, then again the addition to the United Church which is being built. This should also be an asset to the community.

The business section of the Village has not been overlooked. The brick garage which has been in bad repair for several years has been renovated by its new owners and is now in shape for anyone requiring a building of this nature. Then again a number of new signs have been erected in front of some of the stores, which give the Main Street an added brightness. A small building boom is also noticeable as a number of lots have been purchased and several small new homes are being erected.

In conclusion, the citizens are to be congratulated on the efforts being made to make our Village attractive and encourage more home dwellers to build amid surroundings that appeal to many living in less fortunate districts of the Province.—Submitted.

## Life Insurance Advertising

Forty million life insurance messages in the columns of the daily, farm, financial, and weekly press reached policyholders and the public at large through the institutional advertising of the Canadian Life Insurance Officers Association.

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## LETTER TO THE EDITOR

As an act of courtesy "Letters to the Editor" are published, and the Chronicle cannot be held responsible for the opinions expressed.

M. D. OF ROSEBUD No. 280.

The Editor,  
Crossfield Chronicle.

Dear Sir:

Mr. G. Butler quotes the following from a letter he received from Mr. G. F. McNally, Deputy Minister of Education.

"Although our Board requisitioned an amount within a few hundred dollars of what was spent last year."

Our financial statement for last year, of which the Department has a copy, shows requisitions from our school districts now incorporated in Olds School Division to have been \$13,870.25. The requisition by the Olds School Division to this municipality for 1939 is \$22,646.36, or an increase of \$8,776.11 which is hardly what we would term as "within a few hundred dollars".

Yours truly,

R. D. SUTHERLAND  
Secretary-Treasurer.

## Early Fall Travel

### Bargains to Eastern Canada

Early Fall vacationists will have an opportunity to enjoy a trip to Eastern Canada at bargain fares over the Canadian Pacific Railway from September 15 to 29 inclusive.

Tickets will bear a 45 day return limit similar to the Spring trip and permit stopover at stations Winnipeg and east.

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## Fall Suggestions For INSECT PEST CONTROL

### GRASSHOPPERS

1. Continue to spread poison bait if available to kill adult grasshoppers while laying.
2. Prevention of egg laying and destruction of grasshopper eggs by working the soil.

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See— PEST CONTROL

## FROM OUR EXCHANGES

### School Taxes Soar

Editor, the Herald:

On the south half of Sec. 27, T. 15, R. 23 I paid, in 1937, \$15.33 school taxes. In 1938 I paid \$20.44. I got my tax notice for 1939—\$56.21. Put this in the Herald and see if you can wake up some of the people.

J. DOYLE.

Champion, Alberta.

—Calgary Herald

### School District Sues Aberhart

A test case involving the right of the provincial government to force rural school districts into the new enlarged school divisions is to be heard at Lethbridge, in which Premier William Aberhart, as minister of education, is named as a defendant. The case is being brought by the West Lethbridge school district.—Nanton News

### May Apply For C.N.R. Park Site Museum Location

At a meeting called by the Drumheller Junior Board of Trade last Friday evening, and at which several service clubs were represented, as well as the Senior Board and a committee for the City Council, the question, of the establishment of a permanent museum was widely discussed. The gathering was held in the Vogue Studio.—Drumheller Mail

### Badminton Meeting

Former club members and all other who wish to play badminton this coming season, are asked to attend a meeting to be held in the hall on Tuesday evening, August 29th, at 8 o'clock.

It is hoped that by starting the season early, a deal can be made with the hall committee, whereby dues could be kept to a minimum and the hall still make money as no fires would be needed during the fall.—Carstairs News

### Communist Run Out Of Town By Crowd Of 150

Fahler, Alta., Aug. 21—Irate residents of the Fahler district broke up a meeting at Girouxville Sunday morning which James McPherson, Communist speaker from Edmonton, had been scheduled to address. Shouting, jostling and hurling eggs, the crowd of approximately 150 persons broke up the meeting before Mr. McPherson had a chance to get started. The Edmonton Communist official was eventually forced outside the precincts of the town.—Wetaskiwin Times

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Bud McCaskill had the misfortune to drop a barrel of gasoline on his foot last Friday and now has to use crutches.

Rev. S. R. Hunt and family returned from holidays on Saturday, leaving Harold at Parkland where he is working in the harvest with his uncle. They found Revelstoke a splendid place to enjoy a change. Giant maples on the manse lawn provided abundance of shade helping them to keep cool. From the top of Revelstoke Mt. altitude 6350 feet, a splendid view of the

Selkirk and Monashee icefields could be seen on either side, for great distances. The Big Bend highway will not be open this year.

The Regular Meeting of the United Church Ladies Aid will be held at the home of Mrs. Amery on Wednesday September 13th.

Remember the School Fair Thursday next, September 7th. More schools have entered this year than ever before, and, with agreeable weather, this event should be a huge success.

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### Water Valley Notes. from our own Correspondent

The Regdier family has moved to the O'Heggarty farm on the Little Red Deer.

Jake Hansen has reversed his opinion toward berrypickers. Last Sunday the ladies, (Mrs. Patchell, Mrs. Simpson and others) left him a goodly supply of pie, cake and doughnuts.

If you are going hunting this fall be sure to get your S.C. bonus boots and be light footed.

Mr. G. M. Gazely was a business visitor to Calgary Saturday

The Roy Oldfield family has moved to Balzac, where they will reside on part of the P. M. Hamm farm.

A government crew has completed a break-water on Silver Creek where the approach of the Bituma bridge was washed out. John Nafziger, the local foreman, has a crew on, making the fill.

Have you read, "The History of Alberta, Political and Financial," by Wm. R. King your M.L.A. If not, get a copy from any S.C. group

We read of a beauty contest down in Oklahoma which was won by an Indian girl named Pretty Bear. Water Valley has a lot of girls that way too.

The Saturday night dance at Water Valley was well attended and a large time had by everyone

Joe Smith says, "The date of the Dominion election won't be set until King hears from Dinning, who has gone to rent rooms from Bennett for King and his Cabinet."

Jake Hansen patrolling the Bituma bridge with his new twenty two Protecting it from sabotage.

Bob Lawrence called on Hank Fricke of Bottrel the other day and during the conversation

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Hank says, "You've got to have opposition." When Hank started to hitch up his team Bob unhooked them up. Hank wanted to know, "What the devil" Bob says, "Well, you've got to have hooked traces as fast as Hank opposition haven't you."



## "All I have to say is...."

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## The World of Wheat.

By H. G. L. Strange

As I am writing this column, the Prime Minister of Great Britain warns that we are rapidly approaching a state of war.

If War does come, Canada no doubt will immediately be involved. In this good country we have living among us hundreds of thousands of families, men, women and children who have found here a peaceful living and happy homes, but who came and some quite recently, from coun-

tries with which Canada may soon be at war. In times of war, in any country, the position of such people is always exceedingly difficult, but they themselves can make their situation much easier, if they would be careful to refrain from discussing any political matters that might tend to cause resentment against them.

It will of course, be merely an act of simple human decency and kindness for the rest of us to do our best to make the lot of these good Canadians of foreign extraction as easy as possible by

## Around Field And Barn.

By E. M. C.

I do not think I can do better this week than submit the following for consideration and comment. From "Observations" Calgary Herald.

I have been asked to reproduce a paragraph I wrote in March, 1938, concerning the weed nuisance. I'm doing it for the reason that what I said then applies with even greater force today. Here it is: "There are times when there are so many subjects of immediate and vital importance cropping up for consideration that little if any time is left for academic discussion on general topics. One of these immediate and vital subjects is that of the weed menace to the farms of Alberta. Governments of this and other Western provinces, unfortunately, do not seem to so regard it, and this is particularly true of the Alberta government. Our administrators at Edmonton are concerned almost exclusively over the business of providing every Alberta citizen with a social dividend sufficient to provide food, clothing and shelter. This dividend presumably is to be provided from the wealth produced by utilization of the natural resources of Alberta, if and when it becomes possible for our government to get the control it seeks in the disposition of this wealth. And while our government is concentrating exclusively on its policy of wealth control, it is a fact that it is allowing one of the chief sources of the wealth of this province to be destroyed. That source of wealth is farm lands, and its destruction, steady and certain, is being brought about by rapid spread of weeds. Control of this evil is clearly within the power of the provincial government. No action taken by it for weed control can be declared ultra vires by the courts or disallowed by the Dominion government. As a matter of fact it has on the statute books today all the legal authority necessary to check and control weed spread. But it sees fit not to do what the law gives it power to do."

Business goes where it is invited and stays where it is made welcome.

saying nothing, and by committing no action that will tend to embarrass them, or to make their existence any harder than need be; for when the war is over we shall all want to live once again we hope, with each other as good friends and neighbours—in short, as Canadians.

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AND NEWS by Phil Carscallen  
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### Ports of Call On The Air September 3.

That popular program, Ports of Call, comes back to CFAC

September third, at 9:15 p.m. These half-hour stories take us to many of the different countries of the world to meet the famous characters who have been responsible for the history and geography which we have to-day. We are shown dramatic side-lights at the courts of kings and emperors. We meet leaders of education and religion...con-

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querors and conquered. We are taken down side trips into the highways and byways of different lands, in fact nothing is overlooked in making this program 'tops' in interest and educational value.

The first program in the series, which will be September third, is the story of a country that is definitely in the public eye to-day. Poland. The story tells of the struggles, the glories, and the disappointments that Poland has known. It brings history up to the present time, when again Poland will have to take pen in hand and write words (no one can tell just what kind) in the big book which contains records of the history of Poland.

The time for this series of programs is Sunday nights at 9:15 p.m. beginning September third.

### Baseball Stories First-Hand In "The Life And Love Of Dr. Susan"

A girl who knows third base from centre field is rare indeed, but Edith Meiser, who writes the serial "The Life and Love of Dr. Susan" is speaking from first-hand information when she talks of America's favorite sport.

Baseball is now the main theme of the programme since Butch Bixby, a big league pitcher who is now in a slump, has come to have Dr. Susan examine his lame arm. When Mr. Bixby gives Susan's children a few pointers on the art of tossing a curve over home plate, it is really Miss Meiser airing the advice Ty Cobb gave to her when she played ball as a youngster in Detroit.

"I began going to baseball games when I was six years old," Miss Meiser said, "and then played on a boys' team when they would let me."

The only unhappy memory in her baseball experience was the time a fly ball hit in the rose garden of a prominent neighbour and half the outfield plowed through the American Beauties after the horse-hits, completely ruining a score of beautiful plants, and curtailing practice for several weeks. Miss Meiser takes so many of her stories from real life for "The Life and Love of Dr. Susan" that this incident may be heard soon in one of the episodes at 11:15 a.m. over CFAC

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### Pest Control

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Entomologists agree that thorough working of the soil to destroy eggs is the surest method of control in the fall. Grasshoppers have concentrated in many places this fall, and are depositing their eggs at the present time.

Recommended Methods of Control Are

(a) Shallow Cultivation: All stubble land in which flying grasshoppers are seen during the late summer require this cultivation as an assurance against severe losses in the following spring. Shallow cultivation breaks up the water-proof egg masses and tears them loose from their resting places in the ground. The idea is to bring the egg to the surface of the soil, where they will be exposed to the drying winds and sun. Many of these eggs are eaten by birds and animals when exposed in this way. (See note below on Cutworm.)

(b) Deep Plowing: The value of deep plowing will depend a great deal on the kind of soil, whether sandy or clay in nature and upon the thoroughness in which the soil has been packed.

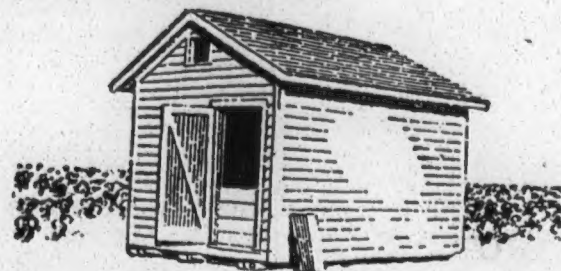
We know that a large percentage of the eggs are deposited in soil which is fairly compact. For example such places as pastures, meadows, fence-rows, lanes, waste lands, abandoned fields, ditch banks and road sides. Wherever practical, these places should be plowed to a depth of six inches, turning the furrow slice upside down. If the furrow slice is turned on its edge some of the eggs will be almost at the surface of the ground, and will be sure to produce grasshoppers. Use a skimmer on the plow. This attachment throws the upper side of the furrow slices, with all its eggs, into the bottom of the furrow. The idea is to bury the egg masses so deeply that the young grasshoppers will be unable to work their way to the surface when they hatch.

Remember that the more soil that can be loosened by this fall, the less area there will be for grasshoppers to lay their eggs in. The limited area in which the grasshoppers can lay their eggs, if the farm is properly plowed in the fall will be so little that a good job of poisoning in the spring can cut the grasshoppers down to the normal number without much trouble and loss of crop.

3. Do not plan on seeding stubble land which is heavily infested this fall, even if moisture is plentiful next spring. The probability of a bad infestation there is very great unless the land is carefully prepared. It is simply folly to "stubble in" a crop on poorly tilled land. Experience has shown that not only is it impracticable, if not impossible, to save such crops, but also, that grasshoppers that develop there will devastate the adjoining crops which could otherwise be saved. If stubble land must be seeded, then do so after proper tillage to reduce infestation as pointed out in 2. Effectiveness of fall control practices depends a great deal on the prevailing weather conditions. In any event, the cultivation should be done as soon as possible, since the majority of the eggs have been laid by the middle of September. Spring cultivation for hopper control is of little or no value. In cultivating it should be remembered that grasshopper eggs at their lowest depth are not more than an inch below the surface, and that shallow cultivation is all that is required to expose them.

4. Mark areas where eggs are laid and watch for the hatching in these areas next spring. Remember that grasshoppers (concluded on page eight)

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### Local and General

Laverne Johnson has resigned his position as teacher of the Oneil school and has accepted a position as teacher of the Zilydale school.

Miss Helen Willis and Mrs. A. Hepworth and daughter, Helen, spent last weekend at the home of the former's brother and sister in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Percy Willis, Turner Valley.

### Pest Control

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lay their eggs from about the end of July until frost comes. A single female will lay about 150 egg during this period. Every female grasshopper destroyed this year means less damage next year.

As Cutworms and Sawfly are often present in grasshopper infested areas, it will be necessary to mention their control.

**RED BACKED CUTWORM**—Northern Half of the Province

Make certain that summer-fallow is quite free from all green growth from the middle of July until the end of August. Do not cultivate in August if no green growth, in order to take advantage of any crust that may form. The presence of green growth is far more dangerous for this cutworm than is loose surface soil.

**WHEAT STEM SAWFLY**—Shallow Fall Cultivation—Bring all stubble to surface. This can be done anytime before freeze up.

**Deep Fall Plowing**—Use mould-board plough, making sure that furrows are well turned. This greatly retards sawfly development in the spring.

**Brome Grass**—Make preparations now to seed fence-rows with a permanent Brome Grass trap crop next spring, and avoid all further serious losses once it is established.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. George D. Zang (nee Miss Lillian Johnson), of Calgary. August 27th, at the Grace Hospital, a son.

Mr. McMaster, Miss McMillan and Louie Becker were Calgary visitors during the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Becker and Mr. and Mrs. G. Lind and L. Becker were visitors to Chestermere Lake Sunday evening, where Mr. Lind remained to resume his duties. Mrs. McBride of Calgary, mother of Mrs. Fred Becker, returned to Crossfield with them, where she is spending a holiday.

Stan Miller, of Calgary, is harvesting in the district, going out to C. C. Smart's on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Marcellus and family, of Longview, were visitors at the Rectory Sunday last.

Mrs. Anderson and son, of Calgary, were guests at the Rectory for a week.

Rev. A. D. Currie was called to Red Deer last Wednesday to conduct a funeral of an old friend, Mrs. Basher.

McCaskill Bros. have recently purchased a new Massey-Harris combine. A. M. Wigle has a new International combine, Dan Conshuk a new combine and T. Fitzgerald a new power binder.

John English has had his Ford coupe re-topped and painted by Happy Hepner.

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Messrs. Yee Lung and W. Uquhart were seen in Calgary last Thursday.

Messrs. D. Ontkes and H. R. Ballam were Didsbury visitors Friday last.

We have been informed that O. Bills sold his farm to Wm. Fleming, of Granum, last week Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Hoskins, formerly of Champion and now of Vancouver, called at the United Church Manse Tuesday afternoon.



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**COUNCIL MEETINGS**  
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## Announcement

### NECESSITY EVENTUALLY COMPELS RECOGNITION

For some time requests have been made to our Calgary office for a Chiropractic Health Clinic to be held at Crossfield.

For three years we have held regular Saturday clinics at Carstairs, Didsbury and Olds and now to meet the demands from this district, we have made arrangements to include Crossfield.

This clinic will be held at the Oliver Hotel every Saturday commencing September 2nd, from 11 to 12 o'clock.

Further information can be obtained from Miss Lila Havens, Crossfield R1415, who will be in attendance.

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